



International Scientific Conference

Deliberation in the Public Policies Planning Process. Experiences and Future Challenges

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- Institute of Law, Administration and Economics, Pedagogical University of Cracow (Poland)
- Collegium of Socio-Economics, Warsaw School of Economics (Poland)
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- International Institute of Political Science, Masaryk University (Czech Republic)
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Conference venue and date:

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The Royal Castle in Niepołomice, ul. Zamkowa 2, 32-005 Niepołomice

Conference Themes:

Conference aims to exchange knowledge and academic experiences in the area of multi-faceted *governance* phenomenon understood among many as co-governing, governing (*management* alternatively) of multi-faceted (multi-leveled) character. Successful incorporation of growing number of the public affairs *stakeholders* into decision making processes formulates one of the key tasks for the contemporary democracies. It is also indispensable condition of modern and effective public governance – advised by the international institutions and gradually embedded in cultural norms, procedural patterns and practice – both specifically and locally based. Public policies planning is one of the key elements of so called *evidence based policy*. This model, practically used, aims at finding solutions useful for managing the infoglut in the concrete conditions of particular sectorial public policies implementation process. This is the main reason behind this project which is to distinct and conceptualize this areas of public policies planning analyze which might become deliberative in essence. Deliberation does have four main features: (1) persuasive argumentation, (2) pro-consensual orientation, (3) public and transparent discourse, and (4) an open access to the discourse. Thus the deliberation creates engagement in the public affairs (by increasing the participation), develops multi-centered communication and leads to particular, group and organizational learning, which makes possible not only common evolvement and implementation of new

tools (co-deciding, co-governance) but also the creation of “new knowledge” (in J. Dryzek's theory - deliberatively procured *episteme*). While following the guides of European Commission we are willing to verify the scope of five good governance rules, both on the national and local area, i.e.: openness, participation, responsibility, effectiveness and coherence. All these rules together are key factors in public policies shaping, in coherence with the *governance* idea.

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- 600 PLN fee covers: participation in the event, conference materials, reception and publication.

Publication:

All papers will be subject to the reviews. Successfully reviewed papers will be published in the post-conference book (Publishing company from the Republic of Poland Ministry of Science and Higher Education list, minimum 80 points, chapter 20 points) and scientific journals:

- *Rocznik Administracji Publicznej (Public Administration Yearbook)*, ISSN 2449-7797 [20 points]
- *Zarządzanie Publiczne (Public Management)*, ISSN 1896-0200 [20 points]
- *Studia z Polityki Publicznej (The Quarterly Public Policy Studies)*, ISSN 2391-6398 [20 points]

Paper submission deadline for post-conference book is 15 June 2020 (please send your paper to: joanna.podgorska-rykala@up.krakow.pl). The journal papers should be sent directly to particular journal (please forward your email also to the organizing committee).

Further information:

- Conference languages are Polish and English.
- Students are strongly encouraged to participate and join a student session at the conference.

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